

Material Safety Data Sheet

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A company of Hoechst and Schering, Berlin

FINALE READY-TO-USE WEED AND GRASS KILLER

SECTION 1. CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

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PRODUCT NAME: FINALE READY-TO-USE WEED AND GRASS KILLER PRODUCT CODE: F30615011
CHEMICAL FAMILY: Mixture
CHEMICAL FORMULA: Mixture
EPA REGISTRY NUMBER: 45639-192-10370
MSDS IDENTIFICATION CODE/NUMBER: F30615011

SECTION 2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

INGREDIENT NAME	EXPOSURE LIMITS	CONCENTRATION PERCENT BY WEIGHT
Glufosinete-ammonium CAS NUMBER: 77182-82-2	None established	= 1.0
Inert Ingredients	None established	= 99.0

SECTION 3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS

PRIMARY ROUTE(S) OF ENTRY

Skin absorption and vapor & spray mist inhalation.

EYES Direct contact causes mild eye irritation.

A slight skin irritant.

SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS
Central nervous system stimulation leading to tremors and convulsions occurs in lethally dosed rats. Phenobarbital was an effective therapeutic agent to counteract these CNS effects.

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SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

EYES
Flush eyes with plenty of water. Get medical attention if irrtation persists.

SKINWash with plenty of soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation persists.

INGESTION
Call a physician or Poison Control Center. Drink 1 or 2 glasses of water and induce vomiting by touching back of throat with finger. Do not induce vomiting in or give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

INHALATION

Remove individual to fresh air. Get medical attention if breathing difficulty develops.

SECTION 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA
SMALL FIRE: Dry chemical or carbon dioxide.
LARGE FIRE: Foam or water - move containers from fire area if without risk. Cool containers with water from maximum distance.

FIRE FIGHTING INSTRUCTIONS

Keep upwind, Isolate hazard area. A Void inhalation of smoke and fumes. Use water or foam to reduce fumes. Do not touch spilled material.

SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Do not touch spilled material. Take up with sand, earth or other non-combustible absorbent material or dike for later disposal. Avoid flame or sparks. Please refer to Section 13 for proper waste disposal procedure.

SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

HANDLING PRECAUTIONS
Causes eye irritation. Harmful if swallowed, inhaled or absorbed through the skin. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Avoid breathing vapor or spray mist. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling.

STORAGE PRECAUTIONS
Do not contaminate water, food or feed by storage or disposal. Do not use or store near heat or open flame. Store this product in its original container. Do not put concentrate or diluted product into food or drink containers. Store product in a secura storage area.

SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

ENGINEERING CONTROLS
Handle only in ventilated areas.

EYE/FACE PROTECTION

Goggles, face shield or safety glasses. (For normal use by end users).

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SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

<u>APPEARANCE</u>

Blue to bluish-green liquid.

ODOR Ether-like.

BASIC PHYSICAL PROPERTIES PHYSICAL STATE: Liquid

pH: 4.4

DENSITY: 1.0076 g/cm3 at 20°C (68°F).

SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

STABILITY: Stable

HAZAROOUS POLYMERIZATION: Will not occur.

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

EYE EFFECTS A mild eye irritant.

SKIN EFFECTS
Irritation: Slightly irritating
Absorption: LD50 > 4,000 mg/kg

ACUTE ORAL EFFECTS LD50 > 5,000 mg/kg

ACUTE INHALATION EFFECTS
4-Hour LC50 > 4 mg/L
-Hour equivalent LC50 > 16 mg/L (for DOT purposes)

CHRONIC (CANCER INFORMATION)
This product contains glufosinate-ammonium as the herbicidal active ingredient. Chronic exposure to glufosinate-ammonium produced an adaptive increase in kidney weight in several animal species. There was no observable change in kidney function as a result of these weight changes. There were no changes in tumor incidence after lifetime exposure to glufosinate-ammonium in rats and mice.

CARCINOGENICITY: NTP: No IARC: No OSHA: No

TERATOGENICITY (BIRTH DEFECTS)
Glufosinate-ammonium, when administered to pregnant animals, produced no adverse effects on fetuses at doses which were not toxic to the mothers.

MUTAGENICITY (GENETIC EFFECTS)
No mutagenic activity was detected in a battery of mutagenicity tests.

MISCELLANEOUS TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

The above toxicological data and information is directly from the supplier of this material.

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SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

OTHER ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION
Do not apply directly to water, to areas where surface water is present or to intertidal areas below the mean high water mark.

SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Product Disposal: Partially filled bottle may be disposed of by securely wrapping original container in several layers of newspaper and discarding in trash. In case of spill or leak, soak up with paper towels and discard in trash.

Container Disposal: Do not reuse empty bottle. Rinse thoroughly and wrap in several layers of newspaper before discarding in trsh.

SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

PROPER SHIPPING NAME: Not DOT Regulated

SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

NO DATA GIVEN

SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

NFPA HAZARD RATING - HEALTH:

- HEALTH: 1 Slight - FIRE: 1 Slight - REACTIVITY: 0 Negligible

- SPEC/AL:

1 Slight HMIS HAZARD RATING - HEALTH:

- FIRE: 1 Slight - REACTIVITY: 0 Negligible - PROTECTION: B

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